



Making
Cities
Work

RWANDA

Capital: Kigali

(1991)

Largest City: Kigali

237,800

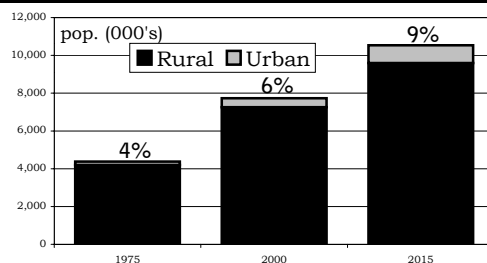
2000 Population	7.7 million
10-year Avg. Annual Pop. Growth	2.0%
GDP (2000)	\$6.4 billion
GDP per capita	\$828
GDP growth	5.8%
GNIP per capita (2000)	\$230
World Bank Classification	Low Income
Population Below Poverty Line	4.0 million



Urban Profile

Urban Population

476,000
lived in
urban areas
in 2000.



Annual Growth Rates (2000-2015)

Urban 4.5%
Rural 1.9%

City Sizes	# of cities
10 million +	
5-9.9 m	
2.5 - 4.9 m	
.75-2.49 m	

Urban Migration Trends

Rwanda has a low rate of urbanization: 6% of the population lives in towns and urban areas. Rwanda had approx 200,000 uprooted, displaced residents due to conflict in 2000. The 1997 government policy of involuntary villagization is another cause of displacement, as thousands of residents were moved to newly established villages throughout the country.

Urban Poverty

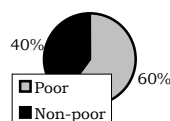
285,600
urban dwellers
were below the
poverty line.

(based on national data)

POVERTY IN RWANDA

Urban/rural
poverty data
are not
available.

NATIONAL POVERTY



60% of
the
population
is poor.

Income Inequality

(wealthiest 20% divided by poorest 20%)

Nation ('83-'85)	4.0
Kigali ('93)	11.6

Economy & Employment

(Country) Sector	GDP (2000)	Employment (1990)
Agriculture	40%	*
Industrial	20%	*
Services	40%	*

UNEMPLOYMENT

Nation *

UNEMPLOYMENT. More than 90% of the population makes its livelihood by producing food crops or through industrial work involving the processing of crops. The city of Kigali's main employment source is the government.

Decentralization

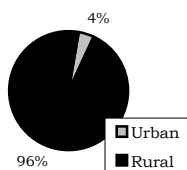
Sample Urban Area: Kigali, pop. 237,800

(UNCHS - HABITAT, 1998)

Able to set some of local tax levels	Able to choose some contractors for projects
Able to set some of user charges	Funds transfer is known in advance
Able to borrow some of funds	Central government can remove local govt. officials

Infrastructure & Basic Services

190,400
urban dwellers
lack water supply.

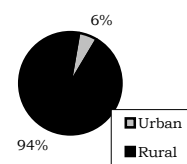


4% of people
without water
supply live in
urban areas.

Population without Water Supply in 2000

	(000's)	% of rel. pop.
Urban	190	40%
Rural	4,354	60%
Total	4,545	59%

418,880
urban dwellers
lack sanitation
coverage.



6% of people
without sanitation
coverage live in
urban areas.

Pop. without Sanitation Coverage in 2000

	(000's)	% of rel. pop.
Urban	419	88%
Rural	6,676	92%
Total	7,095	92%

Health

First and Second Quintile of Income Distribution

Under 5 yrs.-old. mortality rate (per 1,000 births, 1998)
Children severely underweight (under 3 yrs.-old)

Urban Poorest	Rural Poorest	Urban Poor	Rural Poor	National Average
*	*	*	*	*
*	*	*	*	*

Crime

Secondary source data are not available.